

AMENDMENT A003 to FMHQ98R0010

1. The date shown in block 9B of Amendment A002 was incorrect. The correct date is 4-14-98.
 2. The date and time for receipt of proposals has been extended to 3:00 P. M., June 12, 1998.
 3. The correct answer to question 4 and 13 of Amendment No. A001 is yes. The revenue size standard is 8744, \$20 million.
- K.7(a)(2), SIC Code size standard has been changed to \$20 million.
4. Section I, clause 52.228-16 **PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS—OTHER THAN CONSTRUCTION** has been deleted and replaced by **PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS—OTHER THAN CONSTRUCTION ALTERNATE I -** (revised page attached)
 5. Performance Bonds are not required at proposal submission, however, if the bond is submitted at proposal submission, it should be included in Volume I of the proposal.

NO MORE QUESTIONS WILL BE ENTERTAINED

Janitor, Porter or Cleaner GS-3

Laborer, Grounds Maintenance GS-3

Refuse Collector GS-3

**I.5 52.228-16 PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS—OTHER THAN
CONSTRUCTION ALTERNATE I - 01-SEP-96**

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause—

Contract price means the total amount of the contract for the term of the contract (excluding options, if any) or, for requirements contracts, the price payable for the estimated quantity; or for indefinite-delivery type contracts, the price payable for the specified minimum quantity.

(b) The Contractor shall furnish a performance bond (Standard Form 1418) for the protection of the Government in an amount equal to 20 percent of the contract price.

(c) The Contractor shall furnish all executed bonds, including any necessary reinsurance agreements, to the Contracting Officer, within 15 days, but in any event, before starting work.

(d) The Government may require additional performance bond protection when the contract price is increased. The Government may secure additional protection by directing the Contractor to increase the penal amount of the existing bond or to obtain an additional bond.

(e) The bonds shall be in the form of firm commitment, supported by corporate sureties whose names appear on the list contained in Treasury Department Circular 570, individual sureties, or by other acceptable security such as postal money order, certified check, cashier's check, irrevocable letter of credit, or, in accordance with Treasury Department regulations, certain bonds or notes of the United States. Treasury Circular 570 is published in the Federal Register, or may be obtained from the U.S. Department of Treasury, Financial Management Service, Surety Bond Branch, 401 14th Street, NW., 2nd Floor, West Wing, Washington, DC 20227.

